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JOHN'S STORY.

'Well, would you like to hear my adventure in New Orleans?' John Bright leaned his elbow on the arm of the red plush chair in which he sat, with a thoughtful look in his dark eyes.

'Why, yes, of course.'

'By all means.'

Eugene Carthon and his sister looked eagerly at the handsome, blonde in front of them.

They had been talking about the New Orleans exposition, which all had visited the winter before, and naturally their conversation had drifted into personal reminiscences and criticisisms on the ways and manners of the people of that beautiful Southern city.

'Did you really have an adventure?' asked Nell, eyeing him questioningly from under her long dark lashes. They had intended to meet in the Crescent city, but through some misunderstanding the Carthon family had missed him. Nell had always felt a little aggrieved over this, just as if John had really been to blame in the matter, and all allusion to their sojourn in the South brought back that vague feeling of disappointment which had mingled itself with all her enjoyments while there.

Not that she cared anything for John Bright. Oh, no; not even to herself did she ever admit that. But then he was Eugene's most intimate friend, and he was such a bright, companionable fellow, how could she help liking him a little? 'just for Eugene's sake, you know.' She sincerely believed that it was her love for her brother that made her so solicitous always for his friend's comfort and so anxious to make him always feel at home and thoroughly welcome in her father's house.

'Well, go on with your story,' said Eugene, lighting a cigarette, with his sister's permission, and puffing away expectantly. 'I'll be getting drowsy, presently, if you don't wake me up with your thrilling episode.'

'Well'—John twirled his blonde mustache reflectively, ignoring the last remark—'I was walking down Canal street one afternoon, when it began to rain, not violently, but enough to make a man feel uncomfortably, and the feathers on a woman's bonnet limp. Fortunately I had an umbrella, which, of course, I immediately raised. Just as I did so, a young lady came out of the large dry-goods store behind me. She stood irresolute for a moment as though nonplussed by the rain, yet an evident anxiety possessed her to reach the car.

'Instantly I found myself in a strange dilemma. What should I do? There was a young lady, delicate and beautiful, richly attired in garments which the rain would certainly damage, without the slightest protection from the elements; while I, not three feet distant, was possessed of an umbrella amply large enough to shelter two. It seems like a piece of impertinence, yet on the impulse of the moment I mustered all my gallantry, and, stepping forward, offered to escort her to the car.

'To my surprise, and I must say pleasure, she accepted gratefully, and we walked to the corner to meet the car. I noted then the extreme loveliness of her beauty, which was of the pure Creole type, and the marvelous finish of her toilet, which showed in its richness of coloring the Southern taste. I could not censure her for her hesitation in exposing herself to the disastrous effects of the rain.

'When we reached the corner there was no car,' John continued. 'Being in 'Mardi-gras' time, there was always more or less delay. When the car did arrive it was so crowded that there was not a foothold. The next and the next proved to be the same. Unconsciously we walked on, the young lady by an almost imperceptible guidance directing our footsteps. We walked along the Rue Royal quite into the heart of the old French town, the young lady scarcely seeming aware of the fact that we had traversed so many blocks. I was too delighted with her bright conversation and naivette to wish to undeceive her, and so we walked along until she stopped suddenly in front of one of those gloomy French houses, so dreary in exterior appearance, but often beautiful and gay within. A high wall surrounded the dwelling, surmounted by nails driven in so that the points projected upward, a sure safeguard against marauders. As usual, a high balcony graced the front of the house. From the gate—a massive iron-barred one—a stone pave led up to the old-fashioned door.

''I feel very grateful,'' she said, lifting her big eyes to mine with a shadow of timidity in their depths which made them all the lovelier; 'and,' she hesitated a little, 'I know my father would wish to thank you also, if—if——'

''If you only knew whom to thank,' I added, with a conscious shame at my own lack of courtesy. Now, I don't know what prompted me to the action, but instead of handing her my own card, I gave her one of Frank Smith's, a young fellow rooming with me at the St. Charles, a drummer for a large firm in Detroit. His name graced the card in full, and also 'Tremoine & Leeman,' the name of the firm he was connected with. It was a foolish thing to do, yet I never expected to see the young lady again, and I suppose it occurred to me that it would be a good joke on Smith.

'To my great astonishment, she recognized the firm name.

'You must come in and see my father,' she said. 'Mr. Tremoine is an old friend of ours, and he will be so delighted to see you.'

'Into what kind of a scrape had I gotten myself? I declined as courteously as possible, trying to hasten away; but just then an old gentleman appeared at the door, in answer to our ring at the gate, for, as you remember, in New Orleans most of the bells are on the front gate.

'In a few words the young lady explained the situation. With a true Southern hospitality he invited me to enter, thanking me in most voluble terms for my kindness to his daughter. Seeing I would offend by not accepting their invitation, I stepped in with them. As usual in those French houses, the hall led into a little barren-looking court. From this, however, we entered into an apartment elegantly furnished.

'A servant took my umbrella and hat and the old gentleman pushed forward a handsome easy chair for me, seating himself near me. The young lady disappeared, reappearing in a little while in a charming dinner-dress of garnet satin.

'I confess I was a little dazed by the sudden turn affairs had taken, and the *tete-a tete* with the old gentleman [whose name I ascertained to be De Chartre] was most embarrassing, for he asked me a score of questions about Detroit and the people there, all of which I, never having been in that city, was obliged to answer at random, or from vague reminiscences of what Smith had told me casually.

'I tried in vain to turn the subject, and had almost given myself up to a desperate fibbing, when I chanced to perceive that a piano was behind me. During a momentary lull in the conversation, in which De Chartre was probably trying to reconcile my rambling information with his own knowledge and conjectures, I turned to the young lady, requesting some music.

'To my relief she consented immediately, thus saving her father from any further surprises in the way of chaotic guessing on my part. She sang and played quite prettily, and I found myself even more prepossessed than I had been at first.

'After she had played several songs, I rose to go, but as I did so, dinner was announced, and I was urgently invited by them both to remain. Again I saw that to refuse would be to offend, so, in order to preserve Smith's reputation from further damage, I accepted, resolving that I would exert my talents to the utmost in being entertaining. You see, I wanted them to speak a good word for Smith if ever they should chance to communicate with this Tremoine, whom I heartily wished at the bottom of the sea.

'After dinner we adjourned to the parlor—that is, the young lady and myself—the old gentleman going off for a smoke, in which I declined to join him.

'The rain, which had been mild at first, now turned into a raging torrent. It beat savagely against the windows, and the wind swept mournfully through the court. Now and then it crept under the doors and into the room, bringing a faint scent of the orange blooms that were being swept from their stems on the bending trees without. But the inclemency of the weather outside only made the comfort and brightness of the apartment seem more perfect.

'With such a charming hostess the moments sped swiftly. I became more and more inthralled with her dark eyes and her gracious manner, so typical of the grace which has made the Creole women celebrated. I don't know to what length I might have committed myself, had not the door opened and Monsieur de Chartre once more appeared upon the scene. As it was, I think he surprised me saying some foolishly tender things to his daughter.

'I looked at my watch. A flush of shame crept over me. It was past ten o'clock. I felt that I had infringed on the hospitality extended to me. I began to apologize, but Monsieur de Chartre stopped me.

'My dear sir,' he said, cordially, 'you cannot go out in such a storm. I will not permit it. My home is large. We have ample accommodations. Remain with us to-night.'

'I thanked him sincerely. I could not feel grateful enough for such a warm and cordial hospitality. It is true indeed that these Southerners have the kindest and most hospitable hearts in the world. An old and valued friend could scarcely have been treated more kindly than I, a complete stranger, save for the slight stamp of genuineness which 'Tremoine & Leeman' gave me in this most elegant and beautiful home, every part of which betokened the wealth and position of the owner.

'A few moments later Jacques came to show me to my room. With a lingering glance, I bade the young lady good-night. It seemed to me that her beautiful eyes were filled with a shadow of regret for our brief acquaintance. Her father followed me to the court without, giving me several messages for Mr. Tremoine and other friends in Detroit, all of which I promised to carry faithfully. Then, with a courtly good night, he intrusted me to the care of the waiting attendant.

'My apartment was handsomely furnished, in keeping with the rest of the house. It was apparently a back room connected with one in the front of the house by heavy folding doors, across which a red crimson *portiere* fell.

'Jacques brought me a pitcher of fresh water and some clean towels, and then, mumbling something in his unintelligible Creole French, bowed himself out.

'I examined the room carefully, locked all the doors except the folding one, which I found fastened on the other side, and went to sleep thinking what a capital joke that was on Smith, who was undoubtedly reposing beautifully in No. 105, at the St. Charles, unconscious of the strange escapade I had gotten him into. I resolved to write to the young lady as soon as I left the city, informing her of my little deception, and introducing the original Smith, whom I was quite sure would fall head over ears in love with her at first sight. Poor Smith! I was just mapping out his future most beautifully, when Morpheus seized me and carried me off into dreamland.

'About midnight I was awakened by a slight noise in the room. A terrible presentment took possession of me. I dared not move for a second. My knees trembled, the cold drops of moisture stood on my brow. I lay shivering as though chilled by some actual, icy touch for a moment, then my healthy, vigorous physique reasserted itself. I was no coward even to myself. I rose stealthily and crept to the light, turning the full blaze on suddenly.

'A change in the room startled me. The heavy portiere was thrown aside, the folding-doors stood wide open. Resolved to penetrate this mystery, I stepped into the other room.

'A cry of horror escaped me as I did so. I stood in the middle of the floor, petrified, the very blood freezing in my veins. There on the bed lay a man with his throat gashed from ear to ear, the red blood oozing slowly upon the white counterpane and the rich carpet beneath. His wide eyes were upturned to the ceiling, his white face transfixed with the death agony.

'For a second I stood there as if frozen to the spot, my senses reeling, my hands clinched in a sudden agony of mortal terror; then like a flash of lightning the truth swept over me. A terrible crime had been committed. The responsibility was to be laid on me. In the morning the police would come to arrest me. What vestige of power would I have to disprove it?

'With a sudden, quick energy, born of desperation, I went to my room and dressed myself, leaving not the slightest trace of my presence there. Assuring myself that not a card or a slip of paper was left as a clew to my indentity, I took my boots in my hand and crept noiselessly down the stairway.

'When I reached the door beyond the court I shrank back in dismay. I had forgotten it would be locked and barred. I entered the apartment where I had been entertained the night before, hoping to find a window unbolted. To my surprise I heard voices and perceived a light emanating from the room adjoining. The door between was slightly ajar. I walked breathlessly across the room and peeped through the crevice.

'Horror of horrors! What did I see there? The fine, courtly old gentleman of the night before seated at a faro table, surrounded by a motley crowd—and my fine young lady, the brilliant, sweet-voiced enchantress of the dinner table, dealing out faro blanks, opposite!

'It was enough. I turned away, realizing then that I was in New Orleans. I had gotten into one of the worst dens of the French city, and the beautiful Creole was probably one of the notorious characters I had so often read of.

'No wonder my blood ran cold. What if I could not escape? These were desperate characters with whom I could not cope. The outlook was terrifying.

'I tried each window cautiously. They all resisted my efforts to raise them; all but the last—that yielded a little. I struggled mightily, with the strength of despair. In doing so my hand touched a spring which I had not perceived before. In an instant the shadow was pushed up noiselessly, and with a stealthy bound I leaped through, landing unhurt on the ground a few feet below.

'But what to do next? There was that wall, surrounded by its rows of sharp nails. It would have been madness to have attempted to scale it. The gate was barred and fastened with a heavy chain. I could not cry out for assistance; that would have meant certain death from those desperate, dark-browed men at the faro table. What should I do? Again the cold drops of moisture dampened my temple. I was frantic. What should I do!'

John stopped in his narrative and lit the cigarette Eugene had handed him a little while before.

'What did you do?' Eugene was impatient of the delay. He leaned forward anxiously. His own cigarette had gone out. He had forgotten it in his absorbing interest.

'Yes, what did you do?' Nell repeated the question with a terrible anxiety in her brown eyes. Her Kernsington lay unheeded on the floor, her elbows rested on her knees, one hand supporting her dimpled, eager face. Her breath came short and fast. She awaited the sequel with sympathizing, anxious eyes.

'Why'—John gave an energetic puff at his cigarette—'I woke!'

Eugene sank back in his chair, and Nell collapsed physically and mentally, picking up her work with a disgusted air.

'Sold, by Jove!' exclaimed Eugene, after a pause, looking admirably at his friend. 'It is the best sell of the season.'

'Oh, you horrible wretch!' cried Nell, when she had recovered her breath; 'and so it was all a dream?'

'Yes,' answered John, coldly. 'I awoke in No. 105, at the St. Charles, with Smith asking me if I mistook him for a brick wall or a lamp post, that I was pounding him so vigorously.''

Nell did not seem to care much for the sell so long as the beautiful Creole had proved a myth. The story had awakened her consciousness a little, and she seemed a little shyer of John for several days afterward. But I am happy to say that she was a sensible girl, and when John asked her if she only loved him for 'Eugene's sake,' she answered candidly 'No.' Thus came the sequel to 'John's Story.'

Household Hints.

When clothes are scorched remove the stain by placing the garment where the sun can shine on it.

When purchasing meat, always have the trimmings sent home, as they help to make soups and sauces. Every scrap of meat and bone left from roasts and broils should be saved for the soup pot.

Meat should not be placed directly on ice, as the water draws out the juices. Always place it in a pan, and this may be set on the ice. The habit of putting steaks, chops, etc., on ice in wrapping paper is a bad one.

If you are obliged to use a gridiron or frying-can that has previously been used for fish, and still has the pungent odor of the fish clinging to it, you can remove it instantly by first heating it and then rubbing it over with a bit of onion. The onion will absorb the flavor of the fish, but will not leave the least disagreeable taste of its own.

If, from any cause, butter becomes rancid, to each print of it add one tablespoon of salt and one of soda and mix well, then add one pint of cold water, and set on the fire until it comes to the boiling point. Now set away to cool, and when cool and hard, take off the butter in a cake. Wipe dry and put away for cooking purposes. It will be perfectly sweet.

Wax can be taken out of carpets by several very simple methods. Lay a thick piece of blotting paper over the wax and apply a hot iron to it; the paper will absorb the wax that is melted by the heat. If, in doing this, any dark traces should remain on the carpet, rub a little benzoline carefully on, drying the same with a cloth. Another method is to drop a few drops of boiling water immediately on the spots and dry after with a cloth; care must be taken that the colors in the carpet will stand hot water. Green is the most dangerous color to fear.

WANTED.—A lot of Cloverseed at D. S. Kauffman & Co's store. Fair price paid. Bring it in.

May Children Go Barefoot?

This question is every now and again proposed for discussion; and, when it is so, we are compelled to give the same answer. On physiological grounds it is manifestly a sound practice to accustom children to develop the circulatory and muscular systems of the lower extremities, precisely as those of the hand are developed, by free use and exposure. It is not supposed to be either necessary or desirable that children should wear gloves for hygienic purposes. When the hands of the little folks are thus decorated, the parental idea is confessedly to give them what is conventionally regarded as a genteel appearance. No one thinks a child ought to be protected from the weather so far as its hands are concerned. On the contrary, it is recognized that the upper extremities should be kept warm by exercise and habitual exposure.

Precisely the same view holds good with regard to the lower extremities. Contact with bodies that abstract heat, even more than the earth abstracts it, is an almost constant condition of child life. In short, it is entirely in deference to fashion and the usages of society that children wear foot coverings. There is much to be said in favor of a more natural practice. The foot is an organ of wondrous complexity, regarded as a bony and muscular apparatus. It is, moreover, provided with nerves and blood vessels of especial intricacy. The softest and most flexible shoe, to a very great extent, and a boot almost entirely, reduces this organ to the character of a jointed block with little self movement. Obviously this reduction must detract not only from the efficiency of the foot, but of the organism as a whole. If the blood vessels of the foot and legs are fully developed, as they can only when the foot is habitually exposed, the quantity of blood which the lower extremities can be made to receive and, if need be, attract for a time, is very considerably.

We can only say that children who are allowed to go barefooted enjoy almost perfect immunity from the danger of 'cold' by accidental chilling of the feet, and they are altogether healthier and happier than those who, in obedience to the usages of social life, have their lower extremities permanently invalided, and, so to say, carefully swathed and put away in rigid cases. As regards the poorer classes of children, there can be no sort of doubt in the mind of any one that it is incomparably better that they should go barefooted than wear boots that let in the wet and stockings that are nearly always damp and foul.—*London Lancet.*

The Buffalo in Colorado.

The buffalo which has long been known as the noblest animal native to this region, has become almost extinct, having been hunted to death, and is now found mostly in portions of Montana and Dakota. It is a mild, shy animal, its characteristics being similar to those domestic cattle. The male is a proud strong-minded animal, and is famous for its magnificent proportions and stately air. Buffalo can run no faster than horses, and are thus easily overtaken and captured. Hunters spring upon them from behind bluffs; they become startled, and rush headlong in the greatest confusion, by reason of which they always take the wrong course, and are almost invariably captured.

They are so scarce now that their heads are very valuable. Six years ago these heads sold for $7, now they sell for from $ 75 to $150. They are considered invaluable in a matter of collections, none, however small, being considered complete without them. Last year an Englishman who was visiting Colorado paid the exorbitant price of $250 for a pair of heads which he bought here, and considered the finest he had ever seen.

The buffalo in the mountains are much darker than those on the plains. They are of a rich brown color, the shades in their fur varying from the darkest to the palest brown. Between these shades there are many lovely golden hues of a deep color, which are never so well seen as when the skins are spread out before an open, blazing fire. The reflection of the firelight brings out the varying shades as nothing else will, and makes them a subject of universal comment among lovers of the beautiful.

A Very Successful Case.

First Lawyer—"Ah, Dobkins how did you come out in that case you were just beginning when I went out?"

Second Lawyer—"Gloriously. It was a perfect success; created a great sensation; papers full of it; got lots of advertising out of it. I think it was the making of my future."

"Good! Glad to hear it, old fellow. I knew you had the stuff in you; and, by the way, what did they do with your client?"

"Oh, they hanged him."—*Chicago News.*

—First-class job work done at the JOURNAL office.

A BIG HAUL.

A Tramp Finds $4,000 Worth of Diamonds.

One day after I had been hanging around for several weeks as a gentleman of leisure, says a tramp in the *Detroit Free Press*, a policeman ran me in as a vagrant. Next morning the judge heard my story and asked:

'Are you a good traveler?'

'Splendid.'

'Do you want to travel?'

'I do.'

'Then you shall have an opportunity.'

I had heard a good deal about Detroit and its kindness to tramps, and when I left Chicago I headed for the East. Before getting clear of the city I stole a copy of the morning paper off a door-step and after a walk of three hours I sat down to post up. Some tramps don't care for the news of the day, but I have always felt it to be my duty to look over the dailies whenever I had a chance, and to read every line of them, from congressional proceedings to advertisements. It so happened that one of the first things in this paper to attract my attention was the following:

'Three thousand dollars reward—Lost, on the 13th instant, from a window of a coach on the Michigan Central, west of Pullman, a reticule containing diamonds. The finder will receive the above reward. Communicate with A. B., Room 112, Palmer House, Chicago.'

This was the 18th. Five days had elapsed since the loss, and it was probable that a dozen people had been sent to search over every rod of the track. I had no more idea of finding that treasure than you have of flying, but as I continued my way up the track I kept my eyes peeled.

I put in five miles of walking and then sat down to rest again. It was midsummer, and my old boots distressed my feet. I came to a spot where a small creek was crossed by the tracks, and I followed it down to the fence to find a place to wash my feet. Just at the fence was a deep hole and a shady spot, and I tell you it did my old feet good to sit there and paddle the soft and cooling waters. I had been there twenty minutes when a bird flew down on the fence and hopped from that to a stick of driftwood to secure a drink. I was sitting stiff as a stone, not wanting to alarm him, when all of a sudden my eye fell upon that lost lady's reticule. It was jammed among a lot of light driftwood held against the fence. I wasn't half a minute getting possession of it. The bag was provided with a lock, and I out with my knife and cut a hole into it. Out fell the diamonds—rings, pins, bracelets, studs and a gold watch set with flashing stones. I could hold all in one hand, and Jerusha! but didn't the stones sparkle and flash and shimmer and bring my heart up into my throat! I sat there for ten minutes without daring to move, for fear those sparklers would suddenly disappear, but by and by my nerves came back and I made up my mind what to do. I had never thought of appropriating the jewels to my own use, but was in a hurry to return to Chicago.

I wrapped the reticule up in the paper, put the diamonds in my pocket, and at 2 o'clock that night I was in front of the Palmer house. I was about to enter when a hand was laid on my shoulder and a gruff voice called out:

'Now, then, what are you trying to get away with?'

It was a policeman, and he had spotted me for a thief.

'I'm carrying a parcel to a gentleman in here,' I replied.

'Ah! you are! Who might it be?'

'His name is Brown.'

'Oh! it is. Come along, my fine fellow.'

'His name is Brown, and his room is 112. Come in with me. If I have lied to you you can take me in.'

He hesitated for a moment and then entered the hotel with me. As we reached the desk he asked of the clerk:

'Does a Mr. Brown occupy 112.'

'No, sir,' was the reply.

'Now, you rascal, come along,' growled the officer, as he seized my arm.

It's the A. B. of room 112 who lost the diamonds!' I shouted to the clerk as I was being dragged away.

'Here—wait! What do you know of the diamonds?'

'Here's the reticule, sir, and I have the jewels in my pocket. I found them along the railroad track.'

Well, you ought to see how mad that policeman was, and how glad A. B. was, and how tickled I was when $3,000 was counted in my hands. I went out of the tramping business and started a shop, but at the end of two years was cleaned out by the hard times and had to go back to Foot & Walker's line again. I'm there yet, and, if this bit of adventure, scribbled off in a tramp's lodging on a rainy afternoon, is worthy of publication, give it a place.—*Detroit Free Press.*

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CONGRESS adopted the resolution offered by Mr. Morrison, of Illinois, last Monday, for the appointment of seven members, to investigate the cause and extent of the strikes. The committee shall have the power to send for persons and papers, to sit during the session of the House and visit such places as may be necessary to facilitate the investigation.

During the discussion of the resolution Mr. Reagan, of Texas, opposed the measure upon constitutional grounds, while Mr. Morgan, of Mississippi, thought it was a matter between the employer and the employee and Congress had no business to intertere. On the other hand Representatives Hiscock, of New York, Reed, of Maine, Warner of Ohio, Springer of Illinois, and Randall and Curtin, of Pennsylvania, gave expression to their opinions, which uniformly favored the hearing and redressing of the poor man's grievances. Our own representative from this district, Hon. Curtin, in whose big heart the welfare of the laboring classes always occupies a warm place, said that the purpose of the resolution was to investigate the cause of this unrest of the people. If corporations had violated the rights of the humblest man in the country, he had the right to redress and had a right to a hearing before this august assembly. If the man was wronged, let Congress understand it and lay the iron hand of the Government on those who had wronged him. If there was not power in the Constitution to redress those wrongs, it was a broken staff.

GLADSTONE, the premier of England, delivered his great address, explaining his scheme to provide Self-Government for Ireland, in Parliament last Thursday. It was received with unbounded enthusiasm by the Irish members of parliament, as Mr. Gladstone's remarks were full of logic and encouragement for the reformation of Irish government. He strongly advocates that Ireland is entitled to domestic legislation and asserts that home rule on the Emerald Isle will be more beneficial in the end for Great Britain, Scotland and Ireland. Mr. Parnell, the Irish Reform leader, was so well pleased with Gladstone's speech that at the end of his responsive remarks he referred to Gladstone as "the one English statesman living, who was lending his voice in favor of poor, helpless Ireland."

WHILE the public has been greatly interested in the progress of the Western railroad strike, there has for a number of weeks been a strike in this state which compelled many manufacturing establishments to shut down for want of soft coal. In the Clearfield, Cumberland, Snow Shoe, Dubois and gas-coal regions nearly all the miners are on a strike because the mine operators refuse an advance of 10 cents a ton and everything in those sections lies idle. Both the miners and operators have laid their grievances before Governor Pattison, each stating their side of the case in the most emphatic way. But the Governor claims he is powerless in the matter, except that he will ascertain whether the mining laws have been enforced, and if not, to have it done.

THE FREE COINAGE Bill was killed in Congress last Thursday. A vote of 163 nays to 126 yeas did away with the question of free and unlimited coinage of silver dollars. At the same time a vote of 201 nays and 84 yeas rejected the amendment to altogether suspend silver coinage and thus the matter is actually left where it was. There will be silver coin in the land after all.

THIRTY FIV E THOUSAND soldiers of the 70,000 who fought in the war with Mexico, are now living, with 15,000 widows supposed also to be living. The total number affected by the bill granting pensions to the Mexican war survivors is 50,000.

Congressman Pulitzer Resigns,

NEW YORK, April 11.—Hon. Joseph Pulitzer, member of Congress from the Ninth New York District, and editor of the New York *World*, yesterday resigned his seat in the House of Representatives. In an address to his constituents Mr. Pulitzer says: "I appreciate your great kindness in conferring your suffrages upon me. The privilege of rendering public service in a parliamentary career I fully esteem. But I am overwhelmed with work. The conduct of my news paper absorbs all my time. After actual trial, I find that I have neglected my duties here, without doing full justice to myself or my duties as your Representative. It is, in short, impossible to be both in Washington and New York at the same time. Unwilling to hold the honors of a seat in congress without fully observing all the expectations attached to it, I hereby return to you the trust which you so generously confided to me."

Miscellaneous News.

The Everson Miners Gain Their Point.

EVERSON, Pa., April 9.—The strike at McClure's coal works has ended satisfactorily to the miners. The firm granted all demands and work was resumed to day. About one thousand men were affected.

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Beware of Cats Claws.

Frank Endy, aged 29, of Oley township Berks county, met with a strange death. While handling a cat the animal slightly scratched him. His hand began to swell, the inflamation extended to his arm and chest, until finally he died in the most excruciating agony. The flesh where the cat made the scratches mortified to the bone. Physicians pronounce the case as one of blood poisoning.

Sending Chinamen to Mexico.

PORTLAND, Oregon, April 12.—Letters were received by the last Chinese mail by agents of the Six Companies stating that an English, German and Chinese syndicate had entered into a contract with the Mexico Government whereby the syndicate agreed to send 600,000 Chinese to Mexico within the next twelve months. The Mexican Government agrees to give each Chinaman twenty acres of land. Sixty Chinamen left Portland last week for Mexico, and many others are now preparing to leave.

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MONDAY, JUNE 14TH, A. D. 1886,
at one o'clock p. m.

BENNER TOWNSHIP.

Acres.	Per.	Wartantee	Taxes.
50		Coon, Andrew	$ 4 19
58		Homes, Robert	3 20
120		Hale J M	6 72
50		Harris, J D	4 19
100		Shugert, J D	5 60
30		Unknown	2 51

BOGGS TOWNSHIP.

305	112	Coenran, John	34 50
397	145	Carscadden, D	45 54
143		Deal, Ann, (part)	16 10
418	40	Hood, William	49 43

BURNSIDE TOWNSHIP.

415		Black, James	14 94
433	163	Brady, Robert	15 57
433	163	Brady, Wm. P	15 58
433	163	Brady, John	15 57
433	163	Bell, Alexander	15 58
415		Boyd, John	14 94
438	163	Bell, William	15 57
433	163	Cook, William	15 58
433	163	Cowden, John	7 82
433	163	Dewart, William	7 82
433	163	Dewart, John	7 82
433	163	Donnelly, Henry	7 82
433	163	Gray Robert	7 82
433	163	Gray, William	7 82
433	163	Greeves, Alex	15 57
433	163	Grant, Thomas	7 82
433	163	Goben, Charles	7 82
433	163	Hall, Charles	15 72
140		Harris, Henry	15 12
433	163	Housel, John	7 82
433	165	Kidd, John	15 57
415		Levy, Nathaniel	14 94
433	163	Lyon, John	7 82
200		Miller, William	7 20
433	163	Morris, Joseph	15 57
216	83	Parker, Jeremiah ½ of	7 75
433	163	Shafer, Henry	7 82
433	163	Scott, Samuel	15 57
443	163	Towers, James	15 57
415		Thomas, Joseph	14 94
415		Walace, Joseph S	14 94
433	163	Walace, Joseph	15 57
415		Weltzel, John	7 48
433		Wheeler, Henry	4 41
433	163	Wilson, Bird	15 57
204		Withington, Martin	7 37

CURTIN TOWNSHIP.

309	19	Atwood, N L	46 50
300		Atwood, N L	62 00
50		Brooks, Jesse	12 00
415		Brooks, Jesse	7 00
119		Carskadden, D	21 60
208	120	Carskadden, D	24 00
337		Coats, Lindley	60 00
311		DeHass, Peter, ⅔ of	55 97
415		Eddy, Esther	74 60
311		Evan, Cadwalaader	55 97
415		Elliot Wm	120 00
415		Gilbert, William	120 00
433	120	Hall, Charles	72 00
6/		Hallowell, Ed	12 00
203		Irwin, James	60 00
403		Kelso, Rebecca	72 00
380⅝		Kelso, Joseph	66 00
400		Long, J B	96 00
207½		Lowns, Caleb	60 00
207½		Longstreth, Isaac	60 00
207½		Lowns, Caleb	49 00
207½		Longstreth, Isaac	60 00
70		Mason, John S	16 80
200		Meyer, Philip	60 00
100		Meyer, Simon	30 00
420	48	Meyer, Michael	120 00
420		Meyer, Valentine	120 00
196		Miller, James	42 00
200		Palmer, John	6 20
415		Taylor, Joseph	37 20
415		Waln, Jacob	72 00
415		Wister, Casper	126 00
160		Willis, Jonathan	18 00
433	163	White, James	150 00

FERGUSON TOWNSHIP.

100		Olive James	8 20
150		A Barton Sloat, (owner)	12 30

GREGG TOWNSHIP.

60		Carson, Andrew	1 41
150		Cowden, John	3 53
178	127	Carson Andrew	1 00
130		Duncan, David	12 22
250		Hepburn, William	5 88
380		Hubby, Seynard	8 94
53	63	Hahn, William	4 70
52		John McClintock, (owner)	1 42

HAINES TOWNSHIP.

259		Antis, Henry	7 58
242	60	Barr, Thomas	5 02
250	60	Barr, James	5 20
259	60	Barr, Mary	5 36
87		Barron, John	1 78
154		Beck, Henry	3 16
344	16	Bollinder, John	7 06
338	60	Bollinder, Henry	6 92
325	60	Bollinder, Frederick	6 68
313	60	Bollinder, Adam	6 40
135		Cowley, H B	2 76
382	163	Epler, Peter	7 84
438		Epler, Andrew	9 28
181		Fees, Jacob	3 70
202	40	Gilliman, H & S Snyder	5 38
258		do	5 20
435		Hall, Charles	8 92
437	108	Hartman, John	8 98
267	60	Links, Mary	2 60
418	99	Kreamer, George	8 50
200		Parker, William	4 10
200	60	Swineford, Albright	6 15
170	170	Stover & Wolf	3 46
337	123	Snyder, Catherine	5 08
200		Snyder, Catherine	4 10
98		Tidd, William	2 04
405		Simon Gratz	8 24
110		J G Meyer	2 24
100		George Fowler	2 06
106		Methias Workman	2 16
286		James Black	6 04
144		Peter Black	2 94
135		H B Cowley	2 78
458		Epler, Adam	8 38
395	80	William Tidd	8 0
368		Philip Gher	7 54
209		Wendell Grove	4 26
25		Calvin M. Hayes	25
400		Joseph Henry	8 30
173		Robert McElroth	3 58
327		Samuel Metzgar	6 75
162		John Matz	3 36
120		Daniel Rhodes	2 49
442		David Scribner	9 17
388		George Seidel	8 05
303		Peter Seidel	6 27
388		Philip Seidel	8 05
423		E H Scribner	8 76
243		George Snyder	5 02
15		Joseph Thompson	33
446		Henry Spiker & C Weiser Award	9 25
196			3 85
200		Catherine Snyder	4 15
18		Castonas Thomas	37

HALFMOON TOWNSHIP.

400	120	Joliff, Richard	56 00
216		Lamburn, Josiah	30 29
54		Shearer, Isaac	99
24		John T Fowler, (owner)	1 44
63	89	John T Fowler, (owner)	3 81
67	76	John T Fowler	4 00

HARRIS TOWNSHIP.

196		Fisher, J C	3 81
133		Fox, George	2 72
400		Forbes, James	3 90
400		Harrison, William	3 90
50		Irwin, John	95
400		Patterson, Robert	3 90
400		Reed, James	3 90
407	92	Wharton, Kearney	4 37

HOWARD TOWNSHIP.

107	104	Brown, Samuel	4 70
217		Bonham, Sarah	1 17
154		Green, Joseph	13 53
25		Graysburg, Joseph	1 10
215		Godfrey, Martha	4 73
415		Godfrey, Martha	9 13
55		Harris James D	2 59
130		Lingle, J J	1 44
160		Wills, Jonathan	7 52
50		White & Nestlerode	3 30

HUSTON TOWNSHIP.

433	163	Baxter James	9 20
200	11	Chancellor, Wm	4 20
120		Kuhn, Adam	10 20
433	163	Price, John	9 19
433	163	Rolington, John	9 19
102		J C Wason (owner)	4 29

LIBERTY TOWNSHIP.

50		Carskaddon, D	42
80		Gorrell Wm	1 36
166		Hays, Robert & James	18 91
175		Hess, George D	7 16
309	3	Irwin, Robert	23 48
250		Jackson, John	4 25
310		Jackson, Jeremiah	11 78
200		Krouse, Daniel	3 40
30		King, Thomas	34
180		Lytle, Peter	3 80
150		Lytle, Peter	3 80
400		Leech, Mathew	1 76
400		Leech, Mathew	1 70
½ of 200		Nestlerode, Christ	1 70
30		King, Thomas	34
400		Packer, Job W	7 60
175		Quigle, James A	6 70
349		Smith, Christian	13 76
80		Smith, robert	68
100		Potter, John	4 00
168		Shaw & Lingle	3 16

MARION TOWNSHIP.

43	66	Corman, John	1 43
31		Decker, Adam	7 38
17		Lewis, Thomas	2 89
20		Lucas, Thomas	16
50		William Tilghman (owner)	10 20
19		Isaac Dale, (owner)	4 15
28		John Zeigler (owner)	7 14
60		Yarger, Simon	3 06
60		Yarger, Simon	3 06
½ of 199		Zantzinger, Paul	4 92

MILES TOWNSHIP.

430		Brady, Robert	7 64
410		Brady, Hannah	7 30
255		Brady Jane	4 53
200		Brady, John	3 55
440		Brady, Wm P	7 81
290		Brady, Wm P	5 15
20		Antis, Henry	36
424		Calhorn, George	7 52
403		Cerothers, James	7 18
150		Cooper, Wm	2 67
125		Dorsey, John	2 22
320		Fearon, Joseph	5 68
429		Gray, Robert	7 60
476		Gratt, Thomas	14 44
130	123	Gratz, Simon	1 30
460		Hunter, Alex	7 96
250		Jackson, Jeremiah	4 44
300		Levy, Aaron	5 32
425		Norton, Samuel	7 55
300		Parker, Wm	5 32
324		Parker, Richard	5 76
324		Parker, Jeremiah	5 76
125		Steadman, Wm	2 55
200		Smith, Thomas	3 55
200		Scott, Abraham	1 77
100		Scott, Samuel	89
425		Scott, Abraham	2 67
300		Scott, Samuel	1 60
324		Taggart, Robert	2 31
324		Toland, Henry	7 55
125		C Long, (owner)	1 77
200		Wharton Moore	2 23
100		William David	1 55
100		Wolf, Jona	1 00
100		William Hannah	8 88
401	46	James Cummings	7 40
371		Wm Boyde	6 85
357		Wm Grant	6 60
300		Thos Boyde	5 55
413		Joseph Tripp	7 66
200		Thomas Smith	3 70
405		Wm Housel	7 47
426		Samuel Tripp	7 87
419		Hugh Boyde	7 77
286		Peter Tripp	7 46
150		Thomas Miles	7 53
410		Jacob Princeton	3 70
200		Stophel Seidell	7 69
415		John Seigfried	7 48
400		Daniel Seigfried	7 40
400		Jacob Seigfreid	5 27
286		John Hays	2 76
150		Martin Wister	3 18
280		Wm Cook	3 14
170		Robert Taggart	4 44
249		James Steadman	46
25		Robert Latimore	31
17		Daniel Williams	5 76
365		Thomas Carothers	3 70
200		John Brady	3 77
200		Wm Brady	4 63
250		John Housel	4 63
250	7-16 of 402	William Miles	3 11
250	134	William Cooper	4 63

PENN TOWNSHIP.

415		Armstrong, James	5 25
383		Cook, William	9 89
150	10	Cowden, John	5 25
112	10	Cowden, John	3 55
100		Cook, Wm	1 50
100		Cook, Wm	28
150		Hamilton, Thos	5 25
150		Hepburn, James	5 25
116	31	Hepburn, James	3 60
150		Kennedy, John	5 25
150		Kennedy, James	5 25
150	89	Kennedy, Andrew	3 17
108	131	Kennedy, John	3 24
113	8	Kennedy, James	3 31
200		Lyon, Robert	7 00
200		Lyon, Ezekial	7 00
200		Lyon, Benjamin	7 00
200		Lyon, Robert	7 00
200		Lyon, Ezekial	7 00
200		Lyon, Benjamin	7 00
200		McCally, John	7 00
200		McCally, Wm	7 00
100		Montgomery, Daniel	3 50
100		Montgomery, Wm	3 50
100		McCally, John	7 20
400		Swineford, John	10 50

POTTER TOWNSHIP.

100		Bartges, Adam	4 40
288		Bourd, Mary	6 30
300		Brown, John	12 20
81	111	Cameron, Alex	2 20
400		Coggail, David	2 10
100		Dewart, Wm	2 20
200		Ewing, Jasper	4 40
247		Fullmer, H B	88
400		Forks, James	4 20
400		Garigus, Edward	8 80
400		Garigus, Wm	8 80
100		Getty, Christ	2 20
200		Gobin, Charles	4 40
150		Martin, Thomas	3 30
105		McClellan, George	2 31
580		Wm Collier, (owner)	12 75
54	83	Ropp, Jacob	2 83
150		Sawyer, Wm	2 20
100		Vanderslice, H	1 10
100		Young, Samuel	52

SPRING TOWNSHIP.

419		Johnson, John	4 83
186	115	Furdue, John	5 02
300		Robison, Catherine	8 10
300		Robison, Rebecca	8 10
150		Robison, Richard	4 05
100		J. Gordon, Est. (owner)	2 70

SNOW SHOE TOWNSHIP.

433	153	Bingham, Wm	88 74
433	153	Burnot, Felix	88 74
325		Banks, Wm	12 35
325		Banks, Wm	12 35
200		Clymer, George	7 38
433	153	Campbell, George	88 74
433	153	Cox, Paul	88 74
433	168	Guthburt, Thomas	88 74
412		Carskadden, D	15 43
412		Carskadden, D	15 43
433	153	Delaney, Sharpe	88 74
400		Devling Joseph	24 60
300		Deyling, Joseph	61 50
214		Dobson, Samuel	35 76
300		Deyling Joseph	5 70
433		Eddy, George	53 25
200		Fitzsimmons, Thomas	16 40
60		Gray, Robert	7 38
433	153	Hawthorn, Thomas	88 74
433	153	Hawthorn, James	88 74
383		Hale, James T	71 02
52		Hale, James T	6 15
433		Linn, Samuel	71 02
433	153	Lewis, Wm	88 74
433	153	Lewis, Wm	88 74
200		Long, J Z	5 70
200		Long, J Z	3 80
363		Liggett, John	13 41
70		Mason John S	16 80
433		McMannus, James	71 02
433	156	Milliken, M, T	53 45
409	78	Mitchell, N J	50 25
433		Morgan, Benjamin R	71 02
400		Martha, Alex	7 60
433	153	Maylan, Jasper	71 02
433	153	Mayston, Edward	71 02
433	150	McClanahan, Blair	71 02
433	153	Meade, George	62 09
433	153	McPherson, Wm	62 09
433	120	Misner, Luke	71 02
433	153	Morris, Robert	80 04
400		Martin, Alex	15 20
½ of 433	153	Norris J P	47 32
⅓ of 433	153	Norris, J P	8 84
433	152	Parker, Wm	71 02
216		Parker, Jeremiah	35 58
216		Parker, Jeremiah	35 58
433		Parker, George	16 45
216		Rainey, Robert	8 21
300		Relly Job	49 20
433	153	Shippen, Thomas L	71 02
433	153	Scott, Edward	71 02
433	153	Spear, Margaret	16 45
162		Tompkins, Joseph	9 93
433	153	Tallman, Benj H	71 02
433	153	Valentine A S	71 02
433	153	Waln, Rebecca	71 02
433	153	Wharton, Moore	71 02
433	153	Wharton, Elizabeth	71 03
5-9 of 433	153	Wharton, Mary M	39 50
1-9 of 433	153	Wharton, Mary M	7 38
433	153	West, Francis	71 02
433	154	West, Benjamin	71 02
169		West, Francis	13 94
415		Waln, Richard	4 11
433	153	Wharton, Kearney	16 45
400		Williams, David	12 35
400		Williams, David	12 35

RUSH TOWNSHIP.

433	153	Allison, John	183 91
328		Allison, James	139 04
250		Allison, Andrew & John Lilly	159 00
327	10	Armstrong, Andrew	11 52
164	10	Allison, James	16 54
380	116	Arthur, Ann	30 42
394	117	Arthur, Thomas	30 73
433	153	Britches, Isaac	45 03
433	163	Beverage, David	11 52
433	153	Brickley, Daniel	47 70
433	153	Bruntzman, Peter	137 80
200		Burg, John	15 90
433	163	Boreland, John	19 08
		Chestnut, Samuel	6 36
100		Clymer, George	53 00
100		Campbell, George	53 00
390		Cuthburt, Thomas	159 00
433		Corkendon, J H (owner)	12 72
383		Chestnut, Samuel	10 21
433	163	Delany, Sharp	11 52
253		Dentler, Wm	93 53
122		Eberman, Philip	6 47
433	153	Edward's, Thos	116 80
300		Erskine, Thomas	7 80
433	153	Funk, John	22 93
250		Fitzsimmons, Thomas	1 25
193		Edward French, (owner)	20 12
216		Grant, Thomas	33 85
216	156	Grant, Thomas	16 78
216	156	Grant, Thomas	68 90
433	163	Glentworth, James	11 52
		Groe, Elizabeth	7 95
100		Gray, Robert	53 00
433	152	Groe & McKeon	3 18
433	153	Hair, Christian	34 45
433	164	Hair, Christian	33 92
433	153	Hair, David	24 45
216	156	Hamilton, Thos	68 90
433	153	Hand, John	34 45
433	153	Hamilton, Hugh	22 93
433	163	Hopkins, John	47 70
433	153	Huber, John	34 45
433	153	Haines, Reuben Jr	22 51
80		Hamilton, Hugh	16 85
433	153	Irwin, Robert	137 80
433	153	Irwin Robert	46 11
433	153	Jorden, Owen	34 45
		King, Rebecca	42 40
433	10	Kerr, James	86 92
433	163	Lucas, Bennet	11 25
433	163	Lattimore, George	11 52
135	163	Lattimore, Wm G	3 60
434		Lawrence, Casper	3 96
300	153	Lenhore, Christian	21 91
313	106	Lowden, John	24 91
433		Long, A B	13 25
418		Lawrence, Casper	10 55
433	163	Mayston, Edward	11 52
200		McPherson, William	5 30
433	153	MillerJohn	34 45
433	163	Miller, Jacob	34 45
433	163	McConnell, Martha	11 52
433	153	Meade, George	61 73
433	153	Morgan, B F	45 95
100		McCord & A Campbell	15 90
433	153	Miller, Robert	22 93
433		Metzger, Jacob	11 25
433		Miller, Jane	11 25
433	153	Miller, Robert	11 25
323		Patton, Hugh	17 10
433	153	Peters, Richard	45 95
100		Passmore, Jas Bryant & Haslet	15 90
433	153	Reese, Thomas	229 45
433	153	Rohrer, Christian	34 98
333	153	Rudesill, Jacob	52 97
405	47	Rush, Jacob	107 31
38		Robison, Wm H	1 66
37		Robison, Wm H	1 06
433	153	Schaffner, Casper	229 45
433	153	Shenk, Andrew	34 45
433	153	Shenk, Michael	34 45
433	153	Shenk, Christian	34 45
347	16	Steek, Jacob	19 64
433	157	Spear, Robert	68 90
433	153	Smith, Mary	23 02
167	7	Slough, George	13 25
219		Scott, Andrew	17 38
433	153	Slough, Jacob	97 24
433	153	Slough, George	34 45
200		Sands, Joseph	31 80
433	153	Siddons, Elenor	22 50
193		Edward French, (owner)	20 42
406		Snyder Barbara	31 67
433	153	Slough, Jacob	33 80
122	44	Weldman, John	32 33
402	16	Weidman, Jacob	106 53
326¾		Wilson, John	37 10
75		Wilson, William	31 88
106	106	Witmer, John	24 91
80		Witmer, Henry	21 20
306	106	Wilson, William	81 17
433	153	Wallace, Joseph J	22 50
50		Witmer, H	88
433	153	Wharton, Kearney	33 80
250		White and Parsons	6 60
433	153	Toner, James	33 80
433	153	Turner, Hannah	38 80

TAYLOR TOWNSHIP.

150		Ames and Shaffer	14 10
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80		Beck, Jacob	6 00
256		Beckwith, Clement	47 00
77		Bell, Williams	10 44
100		Beck, Daniel	5 00
58		Beightol, John	1 45
73	147	Abednigo Stevens, (owner)	3 45
434		Lamb, John	32 50
300	22	Lamb, John	37 50
434		Montgomery, W W	20 41
433	164	McCammond, John	20 34
434		McEwen, Polly	10 85
434		McEwen, Henry	10 85
433		Ridgway, Budd & Co (owners)	23 13
180		Ridgway, Budd & Co (owners)	42 30
189		Ridgway, Budd & Co (owners)	44 42
141		Ridgway, Budd & Co (owners)	33 14
215		Ridgway, Budd &Co (owners)	49 35
434	163	Snyder, Barbara	20 41
90		Van Pool, C	4 23
50		Van Pool, Jacob	4 70
100		Thomas Wilson Est. (owner.)	14 10
433	153	Williams, Joshua	32 49
434		Williams, Polly	3 76
60		Yoder, Joseph	2 82
125		Van Pool, John	20 54
20		Van Pool, C	4 70
300		Welsh, Joseph	22 50
433	153	Williams, Joshua	32 47

UNION TOWNSHIP.

398½		Branham, Ebinezer	30 10
200		Kuhn, P R	17 20
100		Phipps, Samuel	12 90
383		P B Crider & Son, (owners)	86 00

WALKER TOWNSHIP.

50		Ackert, Wm	1 19
92	40	Askers, Robert	2 15
143	11	Ackert, Wm	1 65
212	110	Baker, John	8 16
212		Barkman, Saml	10 38
162		Brooks, Ruth	7 11
247	65	Boker, Robt	5 73
390		Brady, Wm	7 20
280	129	Currier, Mary	6 72
60		Currier, Mary	1 44
15		Daugherty, Margaret	71
220	135	Daughtery, Elizabeth	5 28
111	42	Daughtery, Mary	69
94	98	Daughtery, Mary	58
69	39	Evans, Jesse	1 65
100	39	Evans, Jesse	2 40
92	26	Eckert, Wm	2 22
80		Fry, George	3 84
243	55	Gilbert, Wm	5 81
123		Gilbert, Wm	2 96
211	98	Gilbert, Wm	1 22
211	72	Hahn, Peter	5 10
65	40	Hahn, Wm	1 54
59	40	Johnson, David	1 44
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The Millheim Journal.

THURSDAY, APRIL 15TH, 1886.

Published by R. A. BUMILLER.

LOCAL NEWS.

—To-morrow is Arbor Day.

—Easter cards are in order.

—SUBSCRIBE for the JOURNAL.

—Why not attend to business, ye fire laddies ?

—First-class job work done at the JOURNAL office.

—The painter and paper hanger puts in his best licks.

—Gentle spring is here—and with it the frogs, flies and straw-hats.

—Last evening it was 21 years that Abraham Lincoln was assassinated.

—D. W. Zeigler is leveling the yard around his new house on Penn street.

—W. Miles Walker, our genial and popular sheriff, was in town on Monday.

—On Monday Mr. W. L. Bright, of this place, took a carload of fine cattle to Philadelphia.

—County Treasurer Smith has his long list of sales of unseated lands in this week's issue.

—Miss Sarah Alter, of Lock Haven, is at present visiting friends and relatives at this place.

WANTED.—A lot of Cloverseed at D. S. Kauffman & Co's store. Fair price paid. Bring it in.

—Anonymous communications are invariably consigned to the waste basket. Please remember this.

—Old Hickernell, of Union county, came through here one day last week, offering "fresh shad" for sale.

—The Lutherans of Rebersburg charge have tendered Rev. D. Lenhard, of Dallastown, York Co., a call.

—Mr. *D.* G. Bush, of Bellefonte, received a paralytic stroke last Sunday, which disables most of his left side.

—A liberal donation of provisions was tendered James B. Hooveman on Monday evening by some of our town people.

—FRESH GROUND NOVA SCOTIA PLASTER at $9.00 per ton. For sale by J. B. Fisher, at his mill, Farmers' Mills, Pa. 13-5t

CARDS.—A large assortment of Sunday School cards, Easter cards and Birthday cards, just received at the Journal Store. tf

—Rev. Swengel preached an excellent sermon to a large and attentive congregation in the Evangelical church last Sunday evening.

—People are anxious to get at their gardening, but their calculations are generally frustrated by an unpleasant change of the weather.

—Decoration Day is coming on and orators for that day are in demand again. What will Millheim and its sister towns do in the matter ?

—Mrs. Cantner, the mother of Mrs. S. D. Musser, and who has been spending the winter with her daughter, departed for Mifflinburg the other day.

—Our former partner, B. O. Deininger, we are sorry to state, suffers from an abscess at his throat, which causes him much pain and uneasiness at present.

—Clipped from *Canada Presbyterian*, under signature of C. Blacket t Robinson, Prop. : I was cured of oft-rec urring bilious headaches by Burdock s Blood Bitters.

CURE FOR CROUP.—Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil according to directions. It is the best remedy for all sudden attacks of colds, pain and inflamation, and for *injuries*.

—Said a noted man of 60 years, "my mother gave me Downs' Elixir for coughs and colds when I was a boy." For sale by J. Spigelmyer, and D. S. Kauffman & Co.

—Don't send away for your job printing but first come and see samples and get prices of work at your home office. You will find that both will compare well with other towns.

—We understand that Geo. Ulrich bought the lot situate east of and adjoining his premises at the east end of Main street, of the Albright estate, for the purpose of farming it.

—Wm. H. Smith has erected a new portico on the north side of his farm house, near town. Now for a coat of paint, William, and your house will be an ornament in its elevated place.

—Our townsman W. K. Alexander is making preparations to erect a large barn on his land, which he lately purchased of his brother, A. R. Alexander, and which adjoins the latter's farm near town.

—Mr. Israel Runkle, of Woodward, and Mr. James Reed, of Rebersburg, were callers at this office last week, both adding their names to our subscription list Always glad to see you, gentlemen, call again.

—The *Evangelical Messenger* of April 6th contains the news that the wife of Rev. S. M. Mountz, of the Central Pa. Conference, was down with a serious illness that left but little hope of recovery.

We are not able to inform our readers of her present condition, but trust the lady may be out of danger.

—Irvin Williams has the agency for the "Odorless" ware of the Hunter Sifter Manufacturing Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, and may be seen canvassing the town, equipped with a sample kettle.

—The Mifflinburg *Telegraph* states that the Lutheran congregation of Hartleton has purchased Dr. Jas. Kleckner's house in that village for a parsonage. Consideration—$1,000.

—C. W. Hartman rebuilt his yard fence along the alley adjoining his premises on Penn street. Jesse Kreamer, corner of South and Water street, also built a lot of new fences on his property.

—Mrs. Samuel Gilliland, of Oak Hall, died last Friday evening, after a prolonged illness. The lady's maiden name was Miss Margaret Sankey, and she was well-known in this county. She was 72 years old.

—A fire near Snow Shoe on Monday morning destroyed a large frame building, formerly used as a hotel, but now occupied by three German families. The house, along with a lot of furniture, was entirely consumed.

NEW PROCESS Roller Flour—best in the market—manufactured at Fisher's mill, Penn Hall, is for sale at Kauffman's store. It is the delight of the housewife and consequently it is the most popular roller flour used.

—Mr. Hooveman, of whose condition we spoke in a former issue, is lying very low of consumption at his residence on Main street. He is failing rapidly, we are sorry to say, and his death is expected momentarily.

—The first edition of the *Keystone Journal*, published at Logansville, Pa., by Scott Currin, reached this office. It is a five column, four page sheet, with a patent outside, and promises to become a newsy and readable weekly.

—There was considerable cleaning up going on in town for the last few days. Right, the sooner the obnoxious ashpiles and the filth in the alleys is removed the better it is for the looks of the town and the health of the people.

—Last week's Sunbury *Democrat* says that a committee appointed by the citizens of Selinsgrove to visit Watsontown and capture the boot and shoe factory of that place, made their visit but did not succeed in capturing the factory.

—When you are troubled with dizziness, your appetite all gone, and you feel bad generally, take a few doses of Dr. Henry Baxter's Mandrake Bitters, and you will be surprised at the improvement in your feelings. Every bottle warranted to give satisfaction. For sale by J. Spigelmyer, and D. S. Kauffman & Co.

—Miss Cora Reifsnyder takes occasion to announce through these columns that her school will commence next Monday morning, instead of the first of May, as was originally intended. Parents who have promised scholars will please bear this in mind.

—THE Baltimore Episcopal Methodist says : "Simmons Liver Regulator is acknowledged to have no equal as a liver medicine, containing those Southern roots and herbs which an allwise Providence has placed in countries where liver diseases prevail."

—MANY PERSONS have catarrh in its first stage who suppose themselves with nothing more serious than a severe and stubborn cold in the head. Ely's Cream Balm gives instant relief from colds in the head, and a thorough treatment will cure catarrh. For sale by every druggist in the land. 13-4t

—Tuesday was a glorious spring day. A warm rain had fallen the night previous and vegetation was fully awakened by the rays of next morning's sun. The air was full of the birds' merry songs and everybody seemed to feel that spring had come at last.

—Last week's Spring Mills correspondence, which reached us too late again for publication, states that the difficulty of the mail line between that place and Farmer's Mills which had delayed the mails for almost a week was at last satisfactorily adjusted.

—There will be a free lecture on "Odd Fellowship" by Rev. J. A. Bright, Grand Chaplain of the I. O. O. F., of Kansas, in the M. E. church, of Millheim, on Wednesday evening, April 21st. Everybody is cordially invited to come and hear.

—Dan. Kauffman and Al. Frank are busy all week getting the store clean and in order for the arrival of an immense and fine stock of new goods. No doubt Kauffman's store will then be headquarters for the latest, cheapest and best.

—Rev. M. L. Deitzler will have communion service at Coburn in the morning of Easter Sunday, April 25th. The community is respectfully invited to attend. Preparatory services Saturday afternoon previous. German services at Penns Creek at 2½ p. m. and at Millheim in the evening.

—The great national game, base ball, seems to be taken up again this spring with as much interest and vigor as ever. The season has fairly opened in cities and larger towns. Could not Millheim raise a "nine" this summer and thus keep up with the times? How is it boys ?

—GONE !—E. H. Long has gone to the eastern cities for the purpose of selecting the large stock of spring and summer goods which D. S. Kauffman & Co. will exhibit to their many customers upon his return. Look out for SOMETHING NEW among our advertising columns next week.

—On Saturday night some mean thief broke into the smoke house of Mr. David Fiedler, near Sebastian Musser's church, in Penn township, and stole seven hams and four shoulders of smoked meat. There is no clue to the perpetrators of the theft.

—Mr. George Stover, residing along Penns Creek, who has been confined to the house all winter from the effects of a paralytic stroke, managed to take his first stroll in the open air last Friday. But for the traces which the stroke left on one side of his head, Mr. Stover's general health would be comparatively good.

—Angling, that calm, quiet, innocent recreation, begins to-day and many a fisherman will be seen wending his way to the trout streams, which are quite numerous in this immediate vicinity, to bait his hook and patiently wait for a bite of the speckled beauties. The season is of three months' duration, ending July 15th. Now for the stories of fishermen's luck.

—Penn street hardly looks like itself since the big red barn has been removed by Mr. Jacob Datweiler. In place of the unsightly building E. W. Mauck will erect a dwelling house during the summer and Dr. Stam also expects to make improvements around his premises. The work of removing the heavy timbers of the barn occupied several days and was watched with due interest by the "committee."

—THAT feeling of mental dullness, that troublesome billiousness headache, fastidiousness as to food, and weary aching pain in the small of the back, can all be gotten rid of by using one box of McDonald's Improved Liver Pills. Money refunded to dissatisfied buyers.
JOHNSTON, HOLLOWAY & CO.,
Philadelphia Agents.
Sold by J. Eisenhuth, Millheim, Pa.

—Spring Millinery Openings are in season and in this connection Mrs. Anna M. Weaver, of Penn street, wishes to inform her many patrons that she has received a fine stock of spring millinery goods and is prepared to suit all tastes and pocket books. She respectfully solicits a share of the ladies' patronage assuring them that they will find her stock complete and tasty and her work satisfactory in all respects. Call on her if in need of new headwear.

—Mr. Keller, of Adamsburg, Snyder Co., gave us a call on Saturday forenoon. He canvassed the town for scholars for a term of summer school and met with good success, his list of pupils numbering about thirty at this writing. Mr. K. is an experienced teacher, having taught sixteen winter terms and is equipped with a professional certificate. His school will commence next Tuesday, April 20th, in the grammar school room on Penn St.

—Mr. Wm. A. Sandoe, whose advertisement appears in another column, opened a tailor shop in the building on North street, formerly used for the same purpose by the late Thos. Frank. Mr. Sandoe comes highly recommended by some of the best citizens of Centre Hall, his place of residence, and persons wishing to have any work done in his line, will beyond a doubt, find him an excellent mechanic. He has already taken quite a number of orders for suits.

—Our band, being at present under the "tut"orship of Prof. J. H. Feehrer, of Selinsgrove, was out last Saturday evening serenading the people on Main street. They executed some of the new and fine music which their able instructor had given them and which their listeners evidently appreciated. The boys showed that the more they blow the better they blow. The evening was warm and pleasant and the town was well filled with country people. It was only necessary for the band to strike up in order to bring the people out of the stores and houses and in a very short time the sidewalks were lined with a big crowd, testifying to the truth of the lines :

"Music hath charms to soothe the savage breast,
To soften rocks, or bend a knotted oak."

—Last Saturday's and Sunday's services in the Lutheran church were of unusual interest. On Saturday afternoon eleven catechumens were admitted to the church by the sacred rite of confirmation. On Sunday forenoon a large congregation greeted the pastor and sixty-seven members, besides a number of persons from sister churches participated in the celebration of the Lord's Supper. Eight persons joined the church on certificates, making a total of nineteen. The services were very impressive and touching, Rev. Deitzler delivering a powerful and effective sermon. The singing on this occasion was exceptionally good, largely owing to the valuable assistance rendered by Prof. Feehrer on his cornet. A liberal collection was lifted for missionary purposes.

WHAT THE GRANGERS INTEND TO DO.—There was an important meeting held at Mechanicsburg last Saturday and Monday. Hon. Leonard Rhone, Worthy Master of the State, Hon. Mortimer Whitehead, Lecturer of the National Grange, and Hon. R. H. Thomas, Sec. of the State Grange, besides other prominent members of the state were present. The meeting was called for the purpose of taking decided action against the proposed tariff bill, which, in the opinion of farmers, discriminates against the agriculturists of the country by admitting, free of duty, wool and other farm products. The farmers are united in their opposition, and the order of Patrons of Husbandry will work vigorously for the defeat of the measure. The order in other States will follow in the footsteps of Pennsylvania.

CHANGES AND IMPROVEMENTS. — This was a busy week for our builders, carpenters and painters. In nearly every part of town a lot of mechanics could be found at work on some job or other.

On Penn street the frame work of P S. Meyer's two story addition to his house was erected, and W. N. Auman had material hauled on his premises to build a cobbler shop, back of his summer kitchen.

On Main street B. F. Kister had a number of men at work, rolling W. J. Springer's former barber shop down to his premises, opposite the M. E church. The Albright brothers are busy finishing their new wagonmaker and blacksmith shop, and D. A. Musser had A. Harter's grocery, Springer's new barber shop and P. H. Musser's jewelry store touched up with a coat of paint.

These scenes of activity are a sure sign that our borough is full of life and grit and that our citizens are bound to make things move if it is at all in the wood.

—Prof. J. H. Feehrer, who at present sojourns among us, celebrated his 48th birthday last Tuesday, and to suit the occasion composed a very brilliant march, entitled "Birthday Quickstep," for our band. His compositions give unmistakable evidence of the author's fine taste and infinite musical faculty. The band boys in the evening displayed their kindly feelings towards their instructor by presenting him with an appropriate birthday gift, to which the writer adds his sincere congratulations. Joe, we hope you may live long enough "to climb the steep where Fame's proud temple shines afar."

DEATH OF TWO OLD PEOPLE.—On Friday morning, Mr. Jacob Heinle, the father of District Attorney Heinle, of Bellefonte, died at the residence of Mr. Elias Miller, at Madisonburg, at the advanced age of 86 years. Deceased was a native of Germany, and was well-known and respected by the people of this and neighboring valleys, having for many years kept the toll-gate in the mountains between Madisonburg and Nittany Hall and of late years the one in the Gap north of town. His business naturally caused him to lead a secluded life, his only company being his daughter, and thus he became a great lover of good literature. He will be remembered as a man who was always at his post and ready to attend to his duties, with a pleasant word for all the travelers who passed his place.

A strange coincidence, suited to make the event more sad, is, that on the same day, with but a few hours intervening, and in the same house, Mrs. Elias Miller, an aged lady of Madisonburg, also departed this life. The remains of Mrs. Miller were followed to the grave by a large concourse of people on Sunday morning, and Rev. Dotterer preached a very appropriate sermon on that occasion. In the afternoon of the same day Mr. Heinle was buried in the same cemetery, Rev. Deitzler, of Aaronsburg, and Rev. Bright, of Kansas, officiating.

SAD ACCIDENT—A LITTLE BABY DROWNED.—On Thursday of last week while crossing a foot-log over a stream at the head of Spring creek, Mrs. Chas. Stemm, of Boalsburg, this county, became light-headed, lost her footing and fell into the creek, with her two children, one a little boy five years old, and the other a mere babe aged nine days.

The water was swift and high, and the baby was swept off and drowned, and its body had not been recovered at this writing. The mother and little boy were rescued.

Mr. Stemm was in the act of moving his family from Boalsburg to a farm about a mile in the country. His wife and the children had been left at the house of his brother, a few rods distant from the house to be moved into, with instructions to remain there until the new place of residence was made ready and warmed for their reception. But Mrs. Stemm naturally anxious to get into her own house, started to walk the few rods that intervened, carrying the baby in her arms, the little boy running along beside her. On the way this stream had to be crossed, and she tried the foot log, with the result above stated. The fall was witnessed by persons in the house, who ran to her assistance, but the poor little baby's short life was extinguished forever.—*Bellefonte Watchman.*

Neighboring News.

SMITH TOWN.

The dandelion brigade of Millheim is overrunning the country.

John Harshbarger lost a valuable cow last week.

Wm. Zerby moved on Reifsnyder's farm—not Wm. Garey, as stated last week.

Our horse dealer arrived home with four fine horses, of which he sold three since his return.

Geo. Royer is building an addition to his house this summer.

Mrs. S. D. Musser, of Millheim, and her mother, Mrs. Cantner, were visiting friends in this neck o' woods last week.

Your correspondent received a very welcome letter from Edward Frank, an old friend, now residing at Bridgewater, Dakota. He speaks very highly of that place and clerks in the same store he entered when he arrived there, three years ago. Always glad to hear from you, Edward. JUMBO.

AARONSBURG.

Saturday was a very warm and pleasant day.

Capt. Jack Sylvis had his boys out on street parade last Saturday evening.

Al Stover has taken charge of Prof. Bierly's singing class, whose term of ten weeks closed last week.

"Fresh Shad" was the cry on last Friday and Saturday by Messrs. Chas. Stover and Ed. Mingle, the shadmen of our town. They disposed of about 60 of the finny fellows.

Mrs. Rev. Deitzler left last week for Harrisburg to visit her parents, Mr. Seabolds. Of course Ruth had to go along.

A few of our young men deserve special praise for pushing the completion of the board-walk from Front street to the Lutheran church. A few crossings yet to be put down and the job is finished.

An unusually large audience assembled in the new Reformed church on last Sunday evening, to listen to an able and eloquent sermon preached by a "Centre county boy," Rev. J. A. Bright, of Ellsworth, Kansas. Quite a number were in attendance from Millheim and from down the valley.
ANOTHER.

MADISONBURG.

One of George Spayd's horses died last week of dropsy.

Lewis Wolf intends teaching school in town, provided he gets the desired number of scholars.

Some disease has visited Mr. Henry Fiedler's stable. Three of his horses are in a critical condition at this writing.

Geo. Wolf has moved back to town again. He had been farming for Israel Vonada last year.

Last Monday Miss Emma Ocker left our burg for Bellefonte, where she is employed in Em'l. Brown's hotel.

On the same day Thomas Wolf went to Boalsburg to work on Mr. Brumgard's farm.

Elias Miller and Benjamin Roush purchased half an acre of land from Geo. Shafer, which will be measured off into lots and used for a Reformed cemetery. Mr. Miller intends removing the bodies of his father, mother, mother-in-law, son and wife from the common cemetery and place them in the new cemetery.

Geo. E. Limbert left on Monday for Spring Mills to attend school there.

Garden making was the order of the day beginning of the week.
STILL ANOTHER.

WOODWARD.

Several petty thefts occurred in our hamlet lately. Suspicion strongly points to some tramps who passed through here last week.

C. W. Hosterman will next week move to his farm. Thereafter the hotel will be under the management of a Mr. Burris.

During the summer our school house is to be improved. This improvement will consist in enlarging the schoolroom and refurnishing it with new patent desks, in place of the old ones, now so disfigured by the many emblems so characteristic of that bad school boy's dog knife.

"Mountain Avenue !" As Squeers said—"You can name anything what you like ;" if there was a law to the contrary, whoever stood sponsor at the christening of this thoroughfare would have been hung long ago. There is no avenue about it ; a sort of a cut across for the hungry, belated cow, in quest of her evening meal.

Some talk of laying a board walk through the village.

Jacob Neidigh is finding a liberal market for his apples in Snyder county.
ARGENTI.

ROLLER FLOUR FOR SALE.— The undersigned will in the future keep on hand a supply of the Oriental Roller Flour, manufactured by Messrs. Kurtz & Son, Centre Hall. Having added another capacity to their mill, they are now able to put before the public a more superior quality of flour than is offered anywhere in the county.
tf A. J. HARTER.

'YOU KNOW HOW IT IS YOURSELF.'—There is not a particle of doubt but you have to this day a vivid recollection of the horrible, nauseating doses of worm seed tea or syrups forced down your throat twenty years ago by an over-solicituous aunt or grandmother who pronounced your case worms. You will be able to appreciate a vermifuge like McDonald's Celebrated Worm Powders. The most effectual and reliable worm destroyer of the age. So easy and pleasant to take the patient will never know a medicine is being administered. Money refunded to dissatisfied buyers.
JOHNSTON, HOLLOWAY & CO.,
Philadelphia Agents.
Sold by J. Eisenhuth, Millheim, Pa.

Rebersburg and Vicinity.

Julius Wertheimer, of Philadelphia, who spent several weeks in our town, will leave this week to return home.

Miss Mazie Reber has returned to Rebersburg to make her home with her sister Mrs. T. F. Meyer.

Last Thursday Scott Kerstetter moved from Fowler's station to this town, and occupies the one half of Samuel Condo's new brick house.

Our enterprising merchant, C. C. Lose, has returned home from Philadelphia with a large supply of spring goods.

Robert Diehl has moved to Bunker Hill, where he will open a tin shop.

Geo. Weaver and Wm. Hackman have traded houses and George will consequently reside near the centre of town. We welcome you.

Some of the grain fields in this part of Brushvalley do not look very promising, having been badly damaged by the high winds of the past winter.

Last week while Daniel Weaver, of near Wolfe's Store, was engaged in sawing shingles he got his hand too close to the buzzing saw and had one or his fingers cut off and several others badly damaged.

Geo. Krumrine, one of our best young men, has accepted a clerkship in C. C. Lose's store.

Miss Lizzie Hoover, of Logansville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Kerstetter.

Miss Sadie Bower has returned from her visit to Woodward.

C. L. Beck has the contract for chopping 30 cords of wood for Wm. Walker.

Miss Alice Lose returned home last Saturday from Kaneville, Ill., where she spent a year among friends and relatives.

It is rumored that Cook Condo, who lately moved to Lock Haven, will ere long return to Rebersburg with his family. Cook was employed in a steam tannery over there, which has suspended operations. Cook thinks there is no place like Rebersburg.

And now, Mr. Editor, I extend my ☞ to you and my brother correspondents and take a temporary farewell as my vocation during the warm season of the year prevents me from gathering news. Hoping that somebody else in this vicinity will interest himself in the work of newspaper corresponding and send you the weekly items, I remain yours truly, SQUIBOB.

A DRUGGIST'S VERDICT.—W. E. George, one of the principal druggists of Philipsburg, Pa., writes :
" J. A. McDonald, Reedsville, Pa.
Dear Sir :—One of the most prominent citizens of our city and a gentleman well-known and highly respected in the surrounding country, called at our store and voluntarily offered to go before a justice of the peace and testify in an affidavit to the virtue of your Blood Purifier, saying that he had used but three bottles, and was now entirely cured of a distressing and long continued attack of erysipelas,, after having tried a number of other remedies without receiving any noticeable benefit. Please send us one dozen by express. We never had a medicine in our store that sells as readily or gave such universal satisfaction as your Blood Purifier."

For scrofula, erysipelas, tetter, salt rheum, skin diseases, humors, sores, eruptions, pimples, blotches, swellings, tumors, boils, ulcers, scald head, ringworm, syphillis, and all blood disorders, no remedy ever devised equals in power and efficacy McDonald's Great Blood Purifier or Sarsaparillian Alterative. Warranted. Seventy-five cents per bottle at all dealers in medicine.
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When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria,

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Persons who suffer from Indigestion can arrest the progress of that painful malady by the use of an **after-dinner pill**, so composed that it will give tone to the stomach, prevent heartburn, rouse the liver to healthful action, invigorate the kidneys, and thus, through the activity of these organs, promote the natural movement of the stomach and bowels. AYER'S PILLS are so compounded that their action, though mild, effectually produces the above results. They also, in curing Constipation, remove the cause of Biliousness, Liver Complaint, Kidney Disease, Rheumatism, and many other serious ailments.

AYER'S PILLS

contain no mineral nor poisonous substance, and do not gripe unless the bowels are irritated, and even then their influence is healing. To continue their effect in constipated or chronic cases, they need only be taken in diminishing instead of increasing doses. For seamen, and inhabitants or travelers in sparsely settled countries where physicians are not at hand, they are of inestimable value. There is hardly a sickness they will not alleviate, and in most cases cure, if taken promptly. To young girls just entering upon womanhood, and to women whose period of maternity is drawing to a close, Ayer's Pills, in moderate doses, merely sufficient to ensure regular action of the bowels, will be found of

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'Nome, I ain't at home.'

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'Not if any of the rest uv 'em air thar?'

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'Married whom?'

'Fool.'

'Is that his name?'

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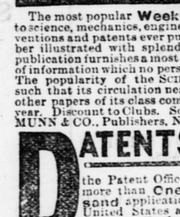

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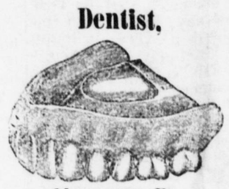

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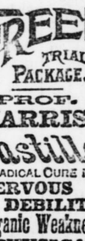

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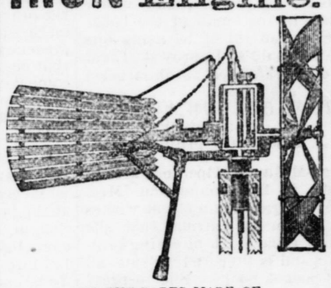

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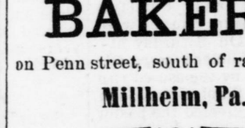

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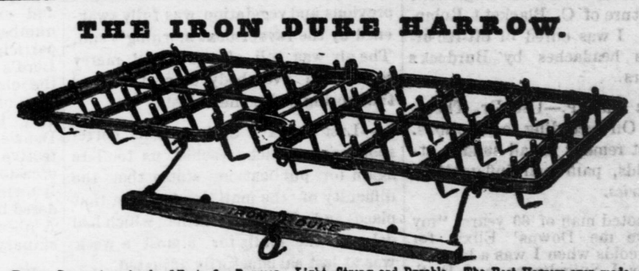

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